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25 September 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

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SUBJECT

Approval of Candidates for Senior Officer Schools,

1973-74

REFERENCE

: Memo to ExDir from C/TSB dated ll August 1972,

subject as above

1. The above program was reviewed and discussed in some depth in conjunction with the consideration of the future of the Agency's Senior Seminar. The level of participation and the individuals nominated for the and the State National War College, Senior Seminar were approved by the Director. The Director also concurred, however, with my own recommendation, following the above discussion, that our representation in the other service schools be substantially reduced. The Director stated he did wish to have one student representative in each service school, however. The Training Selection Board is therefore directed to review the nominations to the Air War College, Armed Forces Staff College, and Naval War College to reduce these to the one nominee suggested. This might cause a change in certain of the nominations to the other War Colleges if the Board's recommendations so result. If it is essentially too late to affect the February 1973 course of the Armed Forces Staff College, the above action can be instituted for the August 1973 course.

2. In order to put the above action in context, it is important to bring out that the Director also concurred with the recommendations to strengthen the Senior Seminar conducted by the Agency and fully supports external training of the sabbatical or advance study type when these are tailored to the specific qualifications of individual Agency officers and the future needs of the Agency for further development of a certain character.

W. E. Colby

Executive Director-Comptroller

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